

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Art Unit: 1618

Scher et al.

Examiner: B. M. Fubara

Appl. No: 09/873,418

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For: NOVEL MICROCAPSULES

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 111**

Sir:

The present Amendment responds to the Office Action dated May 4, 2009. Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered and that the claims be considered in light of the arguments set forth herein.

**Amendments to the Specification** – None

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** – N/A

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 17 of this paper.